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### PACIFIC COAST.

Daring and Successful Train Robbery in Oragon.

SHARPERS AT LOS ANGELES.

Three Chinese Arrivals on the Steam h p Phra Nang to be Deported.

The Oregon hop yield is about half a

Sacramento police are raiding Carson is being terrorized by burgiars

and footpads.

St. Helens has commenced work on a system of sewerage.

Humboldt's County Hospital at Eu-reka is now lighted with gas. Extensive forest firer are reported near Grant's Pass, Or., in the mountains.

Sat Lake is exhibiting a \$550 gold nugget from the mines at Osceola, Nev. The Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs' Associa-tion will meet in San Francisco next

More than one-third of the freshman class of the Stanford University are from

A trunk with 100 pounds of opium has been seized on the City of Kingston at Tacoma.

The wrecked whaleback Wetmore on North Spit, near Marshfield, Or., shows no signs of breaking up. Charles G. Price, convicted at Butte,

Mont., of murder, took poison while in jail, two hours after the verdict of guilty, and died. James D. Lacy, who killed Indian Pete at Mayfield last May, has been acquitted at San Jose. The Indian assaulted Lacy's mother, and Lacy shot

The non-union mivers in the Courd'Alenes, who were injured in the sate outbreak in Idaho, are to sue the companies by which they were employed for damages.

The quail in Arizona have entirely destroyed nine scres of beans for William Fair near Yuma. The birds appear by thousand, and eat the plants entirely off the ground.

The Roseburg and Coos Bay railroad is to be completed to Coquille City this fall. The roadbed is now graded to that point, and rails are laid to within ten

A new 6,000,000-gallon pump at the Sa'em (Or.) water works blew up with a terrific crash the other day while running at full speed. The house was flooded before the water could be shut

The north section of the Gold Hill (Nev.) public school building was destroyed by fire Sunday night. Loss, \$20,000; insured for \$3,500. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

The Controller of the Currency has declared a second dividend of 10 per cent. in favor of the creditors of the California National Bank of San Diego, making in all 20 per cent. on claims proved, amounting to \$718,338.

The Reno Gazette says: All signs point to a hard winter. Pinenuts are more plentiful than for some years past; chipmunks are storing nuts in great quantit es and yellow-jackets are thicker than files in some parts of the country.

The jury in the McWhirter case at Fresno has brought in a verdict that deceased came to his death from gunshot wounds "inflicted by some person or persons unknown to us." The testimony did not favor the suicide theory.

A Sacramento girl, Miss Emily A. Campbell, is to wed Mohammed, the Campbell, is to wed Mohammed, the 
"King of Tramps" at Ogden, and much 
to do is to be made over the event, Mohammed's marriage being one of the 
conditions on which he is to win his 
wheelbarrow agreement.

Captain Worth of the Alice Blanch-Alaska, reports wonderful strikes in gold mining up the Yukon. Miners are earning from \$8 to \$18 a day. Over 300 whites winter in that country, a thing never before known in that region.

Sharpers at Los Angeles manage to sell worthless potatoes to housekeepers by representing that the ladies' husbands purchased the vegetables and ordered them sent home, where the venders would be paid. As the sacks are not examined until the rascals are away, the franch is not discovered until too late. the fraud is not discovered until too late.

The United States Fish Commissioner's car No. 2 has arrived at Pendleton, Or. It contains in the twenty transportation tanks some 2,500 black bass of fair size obtained at Quincy, Ill., from the overflow of the Mississippi. About 200 bass were put off at Boise, and most of the remainder will be placed in Liberty, Loon and Deer Lakes, Washington. A few will be liberated in ponds near Dayton.

Dayton.

Reports from Washougala, Wash., state that the fires still rage fiercely in the timber belt north of Bear Prairie. Two women, one with children, have made their way to Washougala and tell of the terrible danger to settlers on timber claims. They had to leave their homes and take the quickest way out. Numerous cabins are scattered all through the timber for twenty miles back, and it is not known how many settlers are on their places. Mount settlers are on their places. Mount Pleasant is all on fire, and all the people in and around that neighborhood are

A daring and successful train robbery occurred on the west-bound Union Pacific train recently. Just after the train left Nassia, a station on the Short Line twenty-five miles west of Caldwell, Idaho, a man in one of the coaches approached two of the passengers and asked change for \$5. The unsuspecting passengers drew forth their pocketbooks for the money when two confederates of Idaho, a man in one of the coaches approached two of the passengers and asked change for \$5. The unususpecting passengers drew forth their pocketbooks for the money when two confederates of the man wanting change appeared and smatched the pocketbooks from their owners' hands. The coach was immediately in an uproar, but the robbers coolly drew sixshooters and pointed them at the excited passengers, ordering them to sit down and remain quiet. The robbers dropped off before the train reached Ontario.

Idaho, a man in one of the coaches approached two of the passengers and bounded, that Admiral Walker's mission to La Guayra with his squadron will be to La Guayra with his solut

### WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

More Than 10,000 Men at Work Getting the Buildings and Grounds Ready for the Exposition.

Miss Elizabeth Ney of Hempstead, Tex., a descendant of Marshal Ney of France, will execute in marble the statues of a number of Texas heroes for exhibition at the World's Fair.

The United States ship Constitution is about to start for Italy to collect works of art for the World's Fair. These art treasures will remain in constant custody of the government, and will be returned after the fair in the same manages as prought. ner as brought.

New York State proposes to exhibit at the Wor.d's Fair complete data, including photographs, of all the monuments which have been erected to solidiers of that State who served in the war of the Revolution, the war of 1812 or the war of 1861.

Arrangements have been completed whereby excursion trains to the World's Fair, by whatever road they may arrive in Chicago, will run within the exposition grounds and discharge their passengers there. No transfer of passengers at any point will be necessary.

More than 10,000 men are now at work in getting the buildings and grounds ready for the great exposition of 1893. On a number of the structures work pro-ceeds day and night. Wonderful prog-rees is being made, and it is assured that all will be completed in time for the opening. The pupils of the High School of Sa-lem, Mass., are preparing an interesting memorial of that ancient town for the

memorial of that ancient town for the World's Fair. The amateur photographers of the school are engaged in the preparation of a series of views of the many points of historic interest in which the town abounds. These are to be finished by the pupils themselves, and are to form the illustrations of a handsome album. The descriptive letter-press of the book, also the work of the pupils, is to be neatly written on a typewriter, so that the whole volume will be literally the handwork of the children of Salem.

Members of the North American Turner Bund are making elaborate preparations for their exhibit at the World's Fair. They will occupy 4,500 square feet in the liberal-arts building and 112,500 square feet for outdoor drill, in which probably 5,000 adults and several thousand children will participate. In the covered space the Turners will have model classes taught gymnastics in accordance with their system now in vogue in their societies and the Chicago public schools. The exhibition represented by their commission includes 350 societies, with a membership of 50,000, of whom 5,0.0 reside in Chicago.

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A very interesting exhibit in the transportation department of the World's Fair will be made by the steamship and railway companies of England. The collection of models of battle ships, yachts, cruis-rs, more steamers and merchant versels will be complete than was ever before exhibited. The London and Northwestern railway will send o'er a complete train of cars, headed by a great compound locomotive named "Great Britain." This will afford an opportunity to compare the English compartment cars and sleepers with American coaches. The Great Western railway coaches. The Great Western railway will exhibit the antiquated locomotive "Lord of the Isles," one of the first used on the road. Several of the railways will show their signaling systems.

## NATIONAL CAPITAL

American Inventors Protest Against the Recommendation of the Adoption of a Foreign Rifle.

Consul-General Sutton has cabled the State Department that the time for the free importation of corn has been ex-tended by the Mexican Government until November 13.

In the case of James Shinn, involving In the case of James Shinn, involving a Porterfield scrip location upon Bellingham Bay, Wash., the Land Commissioner's judgment is modified. The principles involved are similar to those in the case of Addison A. Hosmer, lately deceased. A hearing is ordered to determine the status of land applied for, after which the case will be adjudicated.

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American inventors are protesting bitterly against the action of the small-arms board in recommending the adoption of a foreign rifle for the use of the Federal and State troops. Since the announcement was made that the board had reported in favor of the Krag-Jorgensen rifle, the invention of Herman Johannes Krag, superintendent of the rifle factory of Norway, and Erick Jorgensen, battalion armorer of Norway, the War Department at Washington has been flooded with letters from disappointed American inventors and their friends urging that the board's recommendation be not approved. Many of these inventors claim they did not have sufficient time to properly perfect their work, and beginst the board be recon-vened for the purpose of considering improvements which they have made since their guns were tried, and which they claim promise better results than those obtained from the Krag-Jorgensen

gun.

There are good reasons for believing that the scaled instructions which were delivered to Admiral Walker on board the Chicago entrusted him with a mission more important perhaps than any that has been confided to an American naval officer in recent years. The protracted conference which President Harrison held with Acting Secretary of State Adee on his recent visit to Washington; the long consultation between Secretary of the Navy Tracy and Mr. Adee before Admiral Walker's orders were finally agreed upon; the carefully worded official statement given out that Admiral Walker "was directed to pursue a vigorous course in dealing with the situation, especially in connection with foreign especially in connection with foreign aggression;" all take new significance on the supposition, believed to be well founded, that Admiral Walker's mission

### EASTERN ITEMS.

River Coal Operators at Pittsburg Close Down.

THE KRAG-JORGENSEN RIFLE

Kansas District Court Judge's Decision Creates Much Excitement-Etc.

The Eastern hay crop is short. There are five State tickets in the field

The New Jersey State prison contains 936 convicts. The season's domestic tobacc crop

eported exceptionally large. Connecticut's peach crop amounts this year to only 65,000 baskets.

The Chicago Council has approved the act of the Mayor in closing Garfield race Kansas has 2,000 miles of railroad, and there is a wheat blockade at every

station. The fire engine manufacturers of the United States and Canada have formed a trust.

It is not unlikely that the G. A. Encampment of 1893 will be Indianapolis.

The United States is the richer by \$2,003,000 in money orders never presented for payment. All the larger cities in Pennsylvania are being especially cleaned in antici-pation of the cholera.

Indiana is claimed to have but one surviving soldier of the war of 1812. There are 252 widows.

Lebanon, Mo., is infested with a band of burglars, who use their pistols with reckless ind if rence.

The Kunsas wheat crop will amount to 70,000,000 bushels, or 5,000,000 more

The Metropolitan Traction Company of N w Yo k has increased its capi-

In Louisiana they are talking of the degradation of the prize ring by allowing the admission therein of black pugilists on equal terms with white braisers.

There is a great demand just now for electric torchlights, which will be used by some campaign clubs as a substitute for the time-honored, bad-smelling oil The builders of engines, dynamos and all equipments intended for steam and electricity have a wast amount of work on hand, probably more than at any former period.

There seems to be an impression that cholera is incurable. This is a great mistake. The large majority of well-conditioned persons are usually saved by good treatment.

James J. West has been set free by Judge Tuthill of Chicago, and the prosecutions for alleged acts committed while in possession of the Times property were quashed.

The Niagara Fails tunnel will probably be finished October 1, and the wheel-pit excavation shortly after. Power will begin to be furnished toward the end of March. An electric road for passengers, freight and general service between Fonda, Johnstown and Gloversville, N. Y., is to be constructed at a cost of \$500,000. It

be constructed at a cost of \$500,000. It will be a venteen miles in length.

Grasshoppers are doing damage to both corn and cotton in West Tennessee. In some places cotton has been stripped bare of its leaves, and it is often the case that bolls are cut off from the limb.

The river coal operators at Pittsburg have served notices of a reduction on the minera and closed the mines until the new schedule is agreed to. Between 7,000 and 8,000 men are thrown out of work.

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7,000 and 8,000 men are thrown out of work.

The Boston Globe is authority for the statement that not one member of the United States Senate was born west of the Mess uririver, and all but two out of thirty three were born east of the Missies ppi.

In Chicago a man has been brought before the United States Commissioner for selling soda-water drinks called "pilgrims." His offense was that he put about 10 per cent of whisky in them without having a government license.

A ruling by a District Court Judge at manuscript memoirs, recently prepared

### EDUCATIONAL.

The Results of the Midsummer Examinations of the Royal University of

India is starting technical schools. Laundry work is now being taught in some of the schools of Eugland.

The Queen of Italy is at the head of an industrial college for women, founded

Providence is to have a permanent exhibition of Rhode Island industries and in connection a school of technology.

Miss Dora Miller, a teacher in New Orleans, has been offered \$5,000 for the right in a black-board eraser she has

Daily papers are now published by seven universities and colleges—Har-vard, Yale, Princeton, Brown, Michigan, Cornell and the University of Wiscon-

The most idiotic college yell is probably that of the senior class of the Kansas State University. It is: "Johnny take a bite, Susie took a chew. Rock chalk, jaw hawk, class of '92."—Minneapolis Journal.

The Kunsas wheat crop will amount to 70,000,000 bushels, or 5,000,000 more than last year's crop.

Four boodling ex-Canadian bank or civil officers are said to be living in one block in Detroit, Mich.

The Kunsas wheat crop will amount An English physician, who has made a study of bronchial diseases, says that women teachers are subject to a peculiar throat affection. He recommends that they be taught in training schools how to manage the voice.

John Musgrove Purchases the Birthplace

Bismarck weighs 210 pounds. Not every much for a man of iron.

Blackburn, Knott and Buckner, three minent Kentuckians, smoke the corn-

General Greely, the head of the signal corps, ridicules the idea of signaling the people of Mars.

Mrs. Ole Bull makes her home in Boe ton with her brother Joe, who married one of the poet Longfellow's daughters. Emanuel Lasker, the chess player, who recently defeated Mr. Blackburne, the English champion, is only 24 years old.

Senator Dawes of Massachusetts once had a chance to take stock in the Bell Telephone Company, which would have made him a millionaire had he accepted.

The senior prelate of the Anglican Church is Dr. Austin, Bishop of British Guiana, who celebrated the fiftieth an-niversary of his consecration last month and is in his 92d year.

### FOREIGN LANDS.

Seriousness of the Situation in Hamburg.

The German Telegraph Service Adopts the Copper-Bronze Wires-Cotton.

Great distress prevails among Welsh

Egypt's cotton crop is 15 per cent. igher than last year.

Catholic congregations in Prussia are increasing in much greater proportion than the increase of the population.

In England the consumption of tes is rapidly increasing and coffee diminish-ing. Cocoa has increased 34 per cent, in five years.

The Berlin Post announces that the Empress Frederick will spend the first part of the winter in England with

Berlin is bringing all the force of mod-ern science as applied to medication and sanitary regulations to bear against the spread of cholera in that city, and with

The French government has protested in Berlin against German traders fur-nishing King Behansin in Dahomey with improved guns and ammunition with which to fight the French forces.

The German telegraph service has adopted copper-bronze wires, and is replacing all its iron and steel wires by the new metal, which is used of a small diameter, and weighs about 180 pounds to the mile.

King Humbert has created the commanders of the various foreign war-ships which went to Genoa for the pur-pose of taking part in the Columbus celebration, Commanders of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus. The railway over the Andes between the Argentine Republic and Chili has been so far completed as to justify the steamship companies in Europe selling through tickets from Southampton and Liverpool to Valparaiso by this route.

In New South Wales the government expended over \$4,000,000 from 1883 to Beside that a greater sum has been ex-pended in private moneys. In one year 25,230,000 skins had royalty paid upon

The seriousness of the cituation in Hamburg is seen from the fact that its people have to go back eighty years for a parallel to their present plight. In 1821 there were 13,900 deaths from cholers; this year already there have been 12,500.

The Bank of France will soon put into circulation a new series of bank notes. They will be similar to those in use, the only difference being that the paper will be thinner, but at the same time stronger. The superior quality of the paper will render the printing clearer and make forgery even more difficult than it is at present.

## PORTLAND MARKET.

Produce. Frate. Etc.
WHEAT—Nominal. Valley, \$1.221/@
1.25; Walla Walla, \$1.15@1.171/per Cental. FLOUR-

Flour-Standard, \$3.80; Walla Walla, \$3.80; Graham, \$3.50; Superfine, \$2.75

Egypt's cotton crop is 15 per cent. higher than last year.

American vines are proving successful in resisting the phylloxers in Germany.

England has removed the restriction against the importation of American sheep.

The German Reichstag and the Prussian Landtag will meet the last of November.

Japan is soon to have two electric railroads of twelve and seventeen miles respectively.

Smokeless powder has become so much in demand that the price of camphor is affected thereby.

Emperor William has sent 30,000 marks to Hamburg for the relief of cholera sufferers.

Peru is to send a confidential agent to Santiago to treat in regard to pending matters with Chill.

Dr. Gray, the Afghan Ameer's physician, reports that forty feet of snow fell at Cabul last winter.

The Watkin tower, at last decided to be built at Werebley Park, will be 150 feet higher than the Eiffel tower.

Catholic congregations in Prussia are increasing in much great'er proportion.

Honey - Choice comb, 15@17c pe

SALT-Liverpool, \$14 50@16.00; stock There are about 7.0,000 houses in London, which on cold days consume \$10.50@11.50 per ton.

RECE—Island, \$5.00; Japan, \$4.85 per

Buny-Live, 11/@21/c; dressed, 4@

6c.
Morron—Live, 34@34c; dressed, 7c; lambs, live, 34@34c; dressed, 8c.
Hoos—Live, 64c; dressed, 8c.
Vall—4@6c per pound.
SMOKED MEATS—Medium ham, 14@15c; large ham, 144@144c; breakfast bacon, 13@15c; dry salt sides, 104c; smoked sides, 11@124c; smoked bacon, 11%c per pound.

How a Brilliant Woman Writes.

Mrs. Mary E. Bryan, who draws the biggest salary of any woman editor in the United States, has written a comedicta in one act entitled "His Society Play." It is the experience of a New York playwright with the scenes in the top story of a lodging house. This quaint, nervous little woman is a Georgia product, unusually gifted, with as many whims as a child, and a disposition quite as sunny. She is a tramedous worker, writes day and alghy, most of the time sitting on the floor Turk fashion, with her copy paper on a lapboard, and the whole place littered with pencil chips.—Exchange.

Ireland-Miss Brownell.

The oldest English public school is Winchester, founded in 1837.

The coming year at Harvard Univer-sity a new dormitory, costing \$150,000, is to be built for the accommodation of

Among the additions to the faculty at Amherst College this year will be the filling of the chair of romance languages,

James Richard Cocke, who graduated from the Roston University school of medicine last June, is the first person totally blind from infancy to receive a degree as physician.

There are 68,963 pupils registered in Boston this year, of whom 35,218 are boys and 32,745 girls. The average cost per pupil is \$24.53, an increase of 7 cents over the cost last year.

Miss Brownell has been teaching Pima Indian children at Tucson, A. T. In our years her class increased from 4 to 165. This is her verdict: "It pays to teach them, as they do just as well as white children."

The Metropolitan Traction Company of N w Yo k has increased its cupital stock to \$30,00,000.

Somebody in Rhode Island is said to be palming off bogus oleomargarine on the New England public.

In 1880 the money added to prize by

of Longfellow—Emanuel Lasker,
the Chess Player.

W. W. Astor's daily income has been
The last Irish census shows a decline of population since 1881 of 470,000. The number of foreigners has increased, chiefly owing to the large immigration of Russian Jews.

Arthur McKee Rankin, the well-known actor, has been denied a divorce from his wife.

Ex-President R. B. Hayes has purchased a lot for a summer residence at Raponda, near Wilmington, Vt.

Parson Kneipp of Germany, the Lesie of whose medical system is water and going barefooted, has been called upon for advice and treatment by the Empress

PRINCE OF WALES DESERTED

per barrel.

OATS — New, 45@47½c per bushel; rolled, \$6.50@6.75 per barrel; \$8.60@

8.75 per bag; \$3.75 per case.

HAY—\$11@13 per ton.

Millerupys—Bran, \$.5; shorts, \$18; ground barley, \$22.50@25; chop feed, \$18; ground barley, \$22.50@25; indid dings, \$26@25 per ton; brewing barley, \$1.10@1.15 per cental; chicken wheat, \$1.30 per cental.

BUTTER—Oregon fancy creamery, 27½ @30c; fancy dairy, 22½@25c; fair to good, 17½@20c; common, 12½@16c; California, 38@40c per roll.

CHEESE—Oregon, 11@12c; Young America, 12½c per pound.

EGGS—Oregon, 25c; Eastern, 24c per dozen.

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RICE—Island, \$5.00; Japan, \$4.85 per cental.

Brans—Small white, 3c; pink, 3c; bayos, 3½c; butter, 3½c; limas, 3½c per pound.

Coffre—Costa Rica, 21½c; Rio, 20½c; Salvador, 20c; Mocha, 27½@30c; Java, 27½@30c; Arbuckle's 100-pound cases, 22 7-3bc per pound.

Syrup—Eastern, in barrels, 40@55c; half-barrels, 42½@57½c; in cases, 35@ 80c per gallon; \$2.25 per keg. California in barrels, 20@40c per gallon; \$1.75 per keg.

A much-needed rain the latter part of the woman attendation for the wo

Miscellaneous.

Name—Base quotations: Iron, \$3.00; steel, \$3.00; wire, \$3.50 per keg.

Iron—Bar, 2%c per pound; pig iron, \$24@27 per ton.

Steel.—10%c per pound.

Tin—L.C. charcoal, 14x20, prime quality, \$8.25@8.75 per box; for crosses, \$2 extra per box; roofing, 14x20, prime quality, \$6.62% per box; I.C.coke plates, 14x20, prime quality, \$7.75@8.00 per box.

Lan—4%c per pound; bar, 6%c.

Shor—\$1.80 per sack.

Horszehous—\$5.

Naval Stores—Oakum, \$4.50@5 per bale; rosin, \$4.80@5 per 480 pounds; tar, Stockholm, \$13.00; Carolina, \$9.00 per barrel; pitch, \$6.00 per barrel; turpentine, \$5c per gallon in carload lots.

Hides, Wool and Hops.

Hides—Dry hides, selected prime, 7½
(88c; 1½c less for culls; green, selected, over 55 pounds, 4c; under 55 pounds, 3c; sheep pelts, short wool, 30@50c; medium, 60@80c; long, 90c@41.25; sheerings, 10@20c; tallow, good to choice, 3 (83½c per pound.

Wool—Umpqus Valley, 16@19c; fail clip, 13@15½c; Willamette Valley, 15@18c, according to quality; Eastern Oregon, 10@16c per pound, according to condition.

Hors-Nominal, 14c.

per pound. Laud-Compound, in tins, 914c; pure, in tins, 12@1234c; Oregon, 105@1234c

The Japanese, who have been numerous in attendance in German industrial and other schools for many years, are beginning to show that they know how to profit by their learning. They are driving German manufacturers out of Oriental markets, and are actually brewing beer that is gradually excluding the German product from China.